

2014 State Controller's Conference with County Auditors

Daily Agenda

Host County San Luis Obispo ~ Embassy Suites Hotel San Luis Obispo

Wednesday, November 5, 2014

County Committee Meetings

8:00am · 9:30am

Legislative Committee Meeting

15 Minute Break

9:45am · 11:00am

Accounting Standards & Procedures Committee Meeting

11:00am · 12:00pm

Executive Committee Meeting

Lunch

1:00pm · 2:00pm

Conference Opens

Pledge of Allegiance

Welcome from Host County

James P. Erb, CPA

Auditor-Controller, County of San Luis Obispo

Welcome from the State Controller's Office

Anita Dagan

Manager, Local Government Policy Section

Announcements and Updates

New County Officials

Outgoing County Officials

County Financial Transactions Reporting Awards

Hitomi Sekine, CPA, CIA

Bureau Chief, Local Government Policy and Reporting

Renee Hszieh

Manager, Local Government Reporting Section

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2:00pm · 3:30pm

What's Next for the Economy?

Christopher Thornberg, PhD

Founding Partner

Beacon Economics LLC

Beacon Economics' Founding Partner Dr. Christopher Thornberg delivers a comprehensive economic forecast for California and the Nation. Gain insight into the direction the economy will take in the near and long-term future through an in-depth analysis of key economic indicators: commercial and residential real estate markets; consumer spending; bankruptcies; employment/unemployment; business activity; personal income; international trade; and GDP growth. Follow-up with a focus on the leading risks still facing the state's economy, including the high cost of housing.

15 Minute Break

3:45pm · 4:15pm

Legislative Report

Matthew Siverling

Independent Contract Lobbyist

State Association of County Auditors (SACA)

A summary of legislation sponsored or followed by the County Association along with end-of-year results. Matthew's insightful analysis covers background, goals, impacts, and outcomes for legislation of interest to California counties.

4:15pm · 4:45pm

Legislative Outlook

Jean Kinney Hurst, MPPA

Legislative Representative

California State Association of Counties (CSAC)

Jean Kinney Hurst examines the economic impacts of the newest legislation and budgetary items and directs her expertise towards topics for the future. Her considerable experience with issues affecting counties gives her a valuable perspective of what is to come.

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Countywide Cost Allocation Plans

Phillip Pangilinan

Supervisor, State Controller's Office

Phillip Pangilinan will provide an overview of the State Controller's Office (SCO) County Cost Allocation Plans program. He will lead a discussion regarding SCO's authority over cost plans, the overall cost plan cycle and review process, the OMB Super Circular, as well as common findings.

Host Updates ~ Recess

